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Clarksville Nativity Scene Presents The Christmas Story

Many Rates Down; First Bill Feb. 1 **Adjust Power Rates to Place Lowell** Utility on More Competitive Basis

cil December 19, 1955, action was timely and would place the utility taken on a detailed electric rate in a more favorable position for a survey and study which was made long term growth and development by Mr. J. B. Sims, of Grand Hay- The new rate structure was not Michigan, who is a consultant drastically changed, but will result National Reputation especially in charges which will be lower than on rate studies. The Council has the neighboring utility. The majorhad Mr. Sims' report under study ity of customers will receive lower and consideration for several bills, but to some of the larger residential users with water heaters months

The revised rates as adopted will there will be a slightly higher rate. not increase the total revenue to The electric water heater rate will the electric department it is stated, be modified to limit the usage of but will result in a more equitable 1 cent per kilowatt hour electricity distribution of actual costs of oper- to 340 killowatt hours, which is the ation and service to the various average national use that a 50classes_of service, eliminate the gallon hot water heater will confuel clause now being charged only sume. The smaller residential user on the residential bills, and will will receive a reduction in cost place the local utility in a more largely due to the elimination of the competitive position ratewise, with fael adjostment charge. its neighboring utilities, both muni- The commercial lighting and the

cipal and privately owned.

No Recent Change

and this will result generally in re-The local plant has not changed ductions to these customers. It will the rates for a number of years also simplify accounting problems and as load conditions, production in the utility's office. costs, and rates of its neighbors; have changed periodically it was

Extend Invitation to Parnell Midnight Mass

dles, and red flowers. There will ing rate conditions, lengthy graphs Enjoy Christmas Meeting be a special sermon by the Pas- and tables were prepared showing

pipe organ. Precious gold vestments will including both municipal and priv. attendance. After a short business able. be worn by the Priest for Mass, ately owned utilities. It is felt by meeting, an election of officers for and the 38 altar boys will be the Council that the revised sched- the coming year was held.

VILLAGE HOSTESS GREETS SIEGERSMA FAMILY

merly of Ogilvie, Minnesota, have by the average householder. nurchased the Steve Bauer residence at 721 North Washington, Mr. Siegersma is employed at King



The Nativity Scene placed prominently in front of the Clarksville Bible Church, is presenting the Christmas story to the residents of Clarksville and seems to be a "season's greeting" to all visitors. The scene will be flood-lighted each evening during the holidays, and will serve to remind one and all of the very first Christmas Eve, when the angels sang "Joy to the World, the Lord is Come."

An optional power rate of the Driver Loses Control demand type for the larger power As Hood Flies Open

users wherein the complexity of a demand rate may be justified is being offered to any or all of the

commercial power rates have been

combined into one simple block rate

Visitors of all Faiths will be advantageous to them. However, morning when struck by an autowelcome guests at the Midnight it is stated that many may not mobile coming east into town.

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Mass this Church Parnell. The
able even though the cost per
fillowath tour is low, since the sub-
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the Christmas carols for half.
the christmas carols for half with every effort is being make to
make the stately of building to find the stately of building to find the stately and larger users elsewhere
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In making the study of the exist- Blue Star Mothers

tor and special music by the comparisons of the Lowell rates Blue Star Mothers held their an adult choir accompanied by the and service conditions with many nual Christmas party Wednesday other cities in Western Michigan evening, December 14, with a large

Meeting was closed, and all ga-thered around the Christmas tree Some Were Too High This study revealed to the Coun- for an exchange cf gifts. The pres-

Sewer and Water The Gateway post at the eastern Extension Plan

go method which has been in to go in this month. operation since 1953, when the original 1952 sewer-water extension plan was deemed unwork-

Where Next? This means that the Council clothed in red robes with white ules were given much thought and Returning as president is Johanna will now have to call a special consideration and are very equit. Conrad, and also re-elected were meeting of the Sewer-Water able and of a scientific design. | senior vice president, Mabel Scott Committee, consisting of Jack able and of a scientific design. Probably the most outstanding change was the elimination of the fuel charge to the residential user fuel charge to the res

Funeral Rites Today For Delbert D. Krum, 82

Services will be held at the Roth Chapel in Lowell this afternoon (Thursday) at 2 o'clock for Delbert D. Krum, 82, who passed away at Butterworth hospital Monday, where he had been a patient about a week. Mr. Krum suffered a fractured leg from a fall on ice only a week ago, and had been taken to the hospital for care. Rev. J. Marion DeVinney will of-

ficiate at the services, and interment will be in Krum cemetery. A native of Vergennes where he was born August 12, 1873, Mr. Krum had farmed in Vergennes until his retirement. He was married in 1893 to Berniece Crakes, who preceded him in death in 1946.

For the past three years Mr. Krum made his home in Lowell.

Vergennes rd; a grandson, Roger get everyone in the Christmas the village. of Cheboygan and a daughter, Mrs. mood. But, we are sure there are. The Municipal Utilities helped great-grandsons.

Alton Sunday School Prepares Christmas Play

The Alton Bible Church, Lincoln Annual Letter Arrives Lake and Three Mile rd., will pre- From Bill Kerekes for sent a Christmas play, entitled "Christmas Characters Meet Ledger's Christmas Issue Christ" this Friday evening, Dec-

ember 23. Under the direction of Paul Nau-ta, members of the Sunday School classes, assisted by some adults, and the church choir, will drama-"Bill Kerekes' annual letter" which the the sunday school classes assisted by some adults, and the church choir, will drama-"Bill Kerekes' annual letter" which the sunday school the sunday school classes assisted by some adults, and the church choir, will drama-the sunday school the sunday and the church choir, will drama-tize the important story of this fes-tion renewal.

spade to Mrs. Dickerson, relingu-

for the past three years. Other officers of the club are Mrs. John Gerhart, 1st vice presisecretary-treasurer.

Merry Christmas to Everyone! Youngsters Enjoy Christmas Party; Groups Prepare Baskets, Gifts for Needy

Four hundred or more youngsters, Winter arrived yesterday (Wed attended the annual Christmas Par- nesday), but the temperatures have ty in Lowell, sponsored by the indicated the season was well on Board of Trade, and enjoyed the its way for some time. There is cartoons and comedies presented nothing like snow to make one feel at the Lowell school gymnasium Christmasy. Sunday afternoon.

Community Tree

Santa did not disappoint the the youngsters, and boxes of candy and nuts were given out to the ell Post of the American Legion The Community Christmas tree, little ones following the show. and sponsored by the Garden Lore We understand the children en-joyed the shows, as well as TV sents a festive appearance at the in their own homes-and, no com- Clark-Ellis Community Building, mercials! That's something. East Main st. Mrs. Nellie McPher-

Ready For Christmas? son donated the huge tree, for the

The weather has certainly co-enjoyment of all the residents of Surviving are his son, Howard, of operated early enough this year to Lowell, and those passing through

Susan Chaffin of Ithaca; also two still some gifts which have to be furnish the lights, from their supply purchased, and greeting cards to be used to decorate Main st. And the mailed, and the local stores are star was obtained from the Creche, still ready to serve you in these to complete a very attractive scene. instances.

No Creche?

In response to some inquiries concerning the beautiful creche scene, annually displayed on the Foreman Hatchery grounds, by the Garden Lore Club, Mrs. Whitaker, It has been said that nothing is retiring president of this organiza-

sentatives of the Kent County Wel-

Your statement is at hand, Bless- fare Agency, etc. So that no dupliishing the post which she has held for the past three years. ed are they that have creditors for cations will be made, Gerald Rol-lins, Dick Beimers and Chancey

A thirty day survey shows that Boyce, chairmen of the respective more housewives read the Ledger group's projects, have worked todent; Mrs. William Flynn, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Charles Clarke. than any other publication. The gether on the list, making sure reason—outside of the tax notices that no needy folks are forgotten. it contains no other harsh irritants. The V. F. W. and American Le-I beg that you accept the enclos- gion will meet Friday night at the the Christmas season was present- ed check for my renewal and sin- VFW Hall to pack their baskets The Street Crew spent quite a bit ed by the Varsity choir of the bayment before I lose my balance. The Street Crew spent quite a bit ed by the Varsity choir of the bayment before I lose my balance. Respectfully Yours, ready. Friday night the Moose Bill Kerekes members will deliver Christmas trees and trimmings to their families. All three groups will leave on their Santa Claus tour Saturday morning, as soon after 9 o'clock

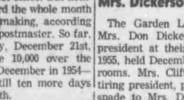


against the bonding, and appar- entire month of December in 1954-ently in favor of the pay-as-you- and there are still ten more days tiring president, presented the club Your statem

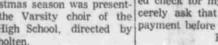
The postmaster also requested that we extend his thanks to the Lowell patrons for their cooperation in sorting their cards, and bundling them according to towns etc. This greatly speeds the delivery of mail, during the rush 10081

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Siegersma, for-which it is felt will be appreciated by the average householder. Method to decide just where in Lowell treasurer Alva Raymor. Mosting was closed, and all ga-to decide just where in Lowell the new extensions should be the new extensions s ers of that slippery stuff will be Serving on the tea committee were Grade Teams Beat Ionia

It is still possible that a more started immediately, so that the Mrs. Ralph Shoemaker, Mrs. Lot-



A very appropriate program for



Milling Company.

This new family has been greeted business man was paying more poinsettia from the members. Reby the Village Hostess Glad Bergin, for electricity in Lowell than he freshments were served by the who reports they have two children, would have to pay in adjacent committee, Mable Scott, Alta Rath-Anne, a 10th grader, and Arlo, a areas. Likewise, the study revealed burn. Minnie Huffman and Olive may be submitted to the people in some cases that the power plant Wood. student at Calvin College.

LAST MINUTE IDEA

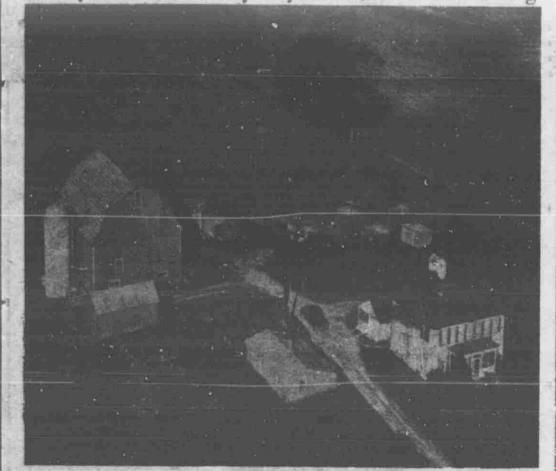
For Him: Genuine Hockanum medium grey. Special price only charges. \$14.95 at Coons.

was selling electricity for less than it could produce the electricity for. STILL OPEN HOUSE AT The new rates adjust these differ- BETTY-KAY GIFT SHOP ences and place our rate below Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Avery flannel slacks in charcoal or the rates that our neighbor utility are still holding open house at their

new gift shop just a few doors east It also has made these rates ef- of their main store on Main st. tive immediately; however we wish Two weeks ago Mrs. Don Phillips

very near future. Lowell Pastor Rev. J. Marion to point out that the usage under was presented with a set of stain DeVinney will be heard each the new rates will be from Decem- less steelware, and last week the Miss Joan Haraburda morning next week Monday ber 21 to January the 20th and shop's gift went to Mrs. Vernon Wins Color Contest through Saturday, on morning the customer will receive his elec- Preston of R2, a camera. This week devotions over radio station tric bills under the new rates with they are offering a 17-jewel wrist WJEF at 6:05 a. m. 'the February 1st billing. watch

Heasley Farm Last in Mystery Series; 5 Win \$5 Drawing



Mrs. Clarence Klahn, of Cascade rd, B2, Lowell, was the first to call in to the Ledger on Thursday last week, correctly identifying the aerial photograph of the "mystery farm" as that of Mr. and Mrs. Roger usley, 6625 Pratt Lake rd. The farm, known by many as the Francis shafter place, was sold in 1953 to the Shaffer's son-in-law and daughter, and the folks moved to the neighboring farm at 6901 Pratt Lake rd. Mr. and Mrs. H. asley have a daughter, Barbara, age 3. He is a salesman for a poultry and animal health product, and the Shaffers assist them in their farming, which is raising Angus, some hogs, and about 300 chickens. They also till about 50 or 60 acres of the 80 acre plot. The Heasleys are the third generation on this farm, which was originally sold by David Hamilton to Nosh Shaffer, grandfather of Mrs. Heasley. This was back in 1891, and the 80 was then known as "Settler's Swamp". The "mystery farm" series is now over, and this week the drawing was made of all names of persons who have called in correctly identifying the 5 farms pictured. The lucky winners of \$5 awards, from the sponsor of the series C. H. Runciman Elevator are: Everett Wittenbach, R2; Lawrence Conrad, R3; Dorothy Briggs, 905 High st.; Mrs. Joy Weeks, R2; and Lena Lehman, 1922 E. Main, all in Lowell. Checks are being mailed to these fortunate folks. The names were picked out of the box by Police Chief Frank L. Stephens.

cil that the small householder and ident was presented with a lovely of the Lowell sewer and water new skates from Santa. agreeable plan for completion rink will be ready for those brand tie Robison, Mrs. Tillie White and service mains to all areas of the This is the first day of winter, according to astrologists, but most of us have had the inclina-

early in 1956. tion that winter was already with At the open meeting held over | us for some weeks now.

a week ago everyone present

held by the King Milling Comp-

any, but the first prize of \$5

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haraburda,

U. S. 16. Joan is 7 years old,

and in Grade 2

all residents possible, and it is dent of the Grand Rapids Chamber the usual Children's Christmas prohoped that such a favorable pro- of Commerce Monday. Mr. White, posal may be forthcoming in the an attorney in Grand Rapids for- time.

merly lived here, and attended Lowell schools. * * *

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The service station owned by morrow evening (Friday), at 7 o' Elmer Layer, on the corner of clock. Judges had a difficult time Jackson and Main streets is

ners of the recent color contest time, and may be opened in the Offering to the party, to be presentnear future. This station has been closed

was finally awarded to Miss since its former operator, Al-Joan Haraburda, daughter of len Lasby, entered military service four years ago. LEGAL HOLIDAY

Runner up, and in second Lowell State Savings Bank will Fellowship will go caroling about place, was Miss Candyce Ann be closed on Monday, December the village, visiting shut-ins. Clark, age 8, daughter of Mr. 26, 1955, a legal holiday, in oband Mrs. Dave Clark, Jr., Jack-servance of Christmas.

2-point margin.

son st., Lowell. She received a Harry Day, Exec. V. P. \$1.00 award. Others, placing 3rd through

6th, respectively, were Master Try a Ledger want ad. Mark Lewis, age 7, of Portland;

Miss Jayma Wolfe, 12, Lowell; Miss Joy L. Fahrni 10, Clarksville; and Master Billy Bouck, children also reeived \$1.00 prizes. one appearing each week in the All were completed by the children, and sent in to the King 47. Milling Company for judging.

Super Market to Expand Store and Parking Lot

The Christiansen Super Market is expanding as soon as weather which made the game a fast permits the moving of the M. R. and evenly-matched contest. Wood residence at 113 N. Wash- The ball gave Lowell great ngton, to the Wierenga property on trouble in their two bad quarters South Division st.

The Wood property has been sold steps. The Lowell boys got off to the Market, and the store will be to a good start, leading at the expanded, increasing its present end of the first quarter 18-14 floor space at least a third of its but at the end of the half were present capacity. Also more park- trailing 26-24. ing facilities will be provided. An In the third quarter Godwin

which will expedite the service at Lowell made its move and as the victors.

NOTICE

The Levee will be closed all day Sunday and Monday, December 25

on top.

c35 i DeVries with 16, a little less Rapids,

Mrs. Norman Woon.

Birthday Party Friday For Little Christ Child

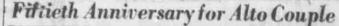
that the Lowell Methodist church points.

Dennis Howe with 17 scores to his gram held annually at this holiday credit. Carroll Eckman was next tribute to this cause should phone with 6 points.

In previous contests the 8th grade However, we failed to designate has been victorious over Ada, but Moose Lodge. the date and time of the event, which has been scheduled for to- fell to Rockford.

> **Eight Sixth Graders** Have Perfect Record

Moore, Jerry Phillips, JoAnn Schlernitzauer, Kirk Starkweather, and day and evening. Sunday until Lloyd Wepman. 7:00 p. m. c35 Lloyd Wepman.





Wednesday, December 14th marked fifty years of married life for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wester, They celebrated this occasion in the evening with a family gathering at their farm home. A threetier wedding cake, ice cream and coffee was served for refreshments. Mr. and Mrs. Wester received many lovely cards and gifts. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wester were born and raised in Denmark, he coming to Alto in 1904, Mrs. Wester the following year of 1905. They were married that same year in Grand Rapids and have lived and farmed all their married life in Bowne township on a small farm southeast of Alto on M-50. Nine of their eleven children are living : Mrs. Albert Streelman, Mrs. Nils Larsen, Misses Marie and Ruth Wester all of Grand Rapids, Henry of Middleville, Harold of Lowell, Julius, Edward and Mrs. Duane Krauss of Alto. There are eleven grandehildren.

Ledger for a six-week period. night, defeating Godwin in a Lowell continued their wintight contest to the tune of 49-The boys had little trouble in being close all the way but the but came back in typical Lowell

Godwin also lacked in height,

The reserves also won antiansen, Sr., owner of the store, 40-35. But in the fourth quarter fine defensive game were the

Next Game January 10

No more games are scheduled for Lowell until January 10. The top scorers were George when the boys go to East Grand

Children attending are reminded deciding who would be the win-1 undergoing remodeling at this that they should bring their White ed during the candle-lighting cere-

> be presented to the Methodist Chil- man, Dennie Hawk, Ruth Ann dren's Home in Detroit. Caroling

Following the party the Youth

Closely Matched Squads Play Tight 9, of R. R. 3, Lowell. These Game as Godwin Loses Here 49-47

Lowell's Red Arrows may lack than his average but he played The contest consisted of six height but they do form a good his usual great game, followed pictures, about Christmas, each basketball team which did it by Len Fase with 11; Carr and again for the home folks Friday Hartley tied with 8 apiece.

ning ways Tuesday night by defeating Ionia 58-56. The game

the second and third quarters, accuracy of the Lowell boys did it again. fashion to close the game with

In the first half Lowell was bothered by height as Ionia had a tall team. At the end of the half the score was 36-35 in favor of Lowell, But in the second half Lowell's fine defensive play aidby having many fumbles and time the win and countless

times they spoiled the Ionia squad with their fast break. **Reserves** Win

additional check-out lane has been lengthened their lead and at the half. But the reserves intercept-

other, exciting game with the score being tied at 22-22 at the planned according to William Chris- end of the period were ahead ing many passes and playing a

game ended the Arrows were

DeVries Makes 16 Points

10TH ANNIVERSARY December 22, 1945 to December

c35 22, 1955, (today), 10th business an-

niversary of Keiser's Kitchen, 521 West Main St., Lowell, Mich. c35

In two contests with Ionia last Friday afternoon, the Lowell 7th

In the first game, the 7th grade;

Still Need Help The Moose members have been and 8th grade teams both emerged working since October collecting and repairing toys for small children, and getting clothes for the

won 12to8, with Allen Seeley as older ones. According to chairman The Ledger announced last week high-point man, with a score of 6 Boyce, they have received splendid The eighth grade contest was won of a few blouses for girls and boy's cooperation, but are still in need seemed in favor of extending Gerald White, son of Dr. F. E. would be the scene of a birthday The eighth grade contest was won of a few blouses for girls and boy's the sewer and water service to White of Lowell, was named presi- party for the Christ Child, in lieu of by 25-19, and high-point man was sport shirts, for the age group 12 to 17. Anyong who would wish to con-Mr. Boyce, 5959, or leave the gift

at the Lewis Electric Company or All three groups wish to thank

local merchants and everyone who has helped to make their respective programs a success. Every little discount in price of food purchased.

Eight students of the 6th grade po matter how small the donation ave not been absent or tardy the to each cause, it helps to give mony; envelopes are available at last six weeks' period of school. a nice Christmas to folks who would the church for the gifts, which will They are: Donald Dilly, Dale Eck- not be so fortunate otherwise.

Lowell Beer Stor open every

Busy Week for Brownies And Girl Scout Groups

Most troops of Cascade Brownie Richards.

decorated fancy cooldes. Mothers Certification, find two years with the U.S. FIFTY POUNDS OF PENNIES Proud Cascade Parents pieces designed and made by the Army in an ordinance battalion.

day afternoon at the home of Ter- Mrs. Lane's room. Last week, the Friday morning. Vacation will bery Jo Shusta, Cascade Springs dr., girls took home the presents they gin at noon, with school starting to which mothers, troop committee, and officials were invited. Their mitts for their mothers, and contree would be decorated with arti- tainers for discarded razor blades room five dollars for its party, and largest producer of chlorine. cles they had made, modelled on for their fathers.

- RETURNS FROM GERMANY those of foreign lands, which they | Sgt. Arthur Thompson returned would tell about, and they had home Friday from Baumholder, decorated fancy cookies. Mothers' Germany, where he has been sta-

School parties

room mothers will assist the teach-

quired the odd team to save, pen- suitable to the season.

Try a Ledger want ad.

Cascade Community News MRS. ROGER WYKES, JR. - PHONE GL-8-5570

Troop 85, third year Brownies, the First Year Brownies were to hold a Christmas tea Mon- have a treat at their meeting in brate Christmas with room parties as minerous as micht be supressed.

Christmas. churches Children's division under chairman. the leadership of Mrs. Lawrence Money raised by the contest goes

Christmas Eve

Cascade Christian church hold a Family Christmas Eve service from 7 to 8 o'clock Saturday evening. Everyone of the church and community is invited. Christmas Day, Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship at 11, as usual.

To Hear Trio

Special music at Cascade Christan Reformed church morning worship service Christmas Day will be provided by a trio, the Misses Dorothy Roeters, Rena Boersma, and Ann Punt.

Miss Punt, now on vacation, is a missionary in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, where she lives on a ouseboat on a canal, and works mong underprivileged children. The Sunday School will give their Christmas Program immediate after the worship service.

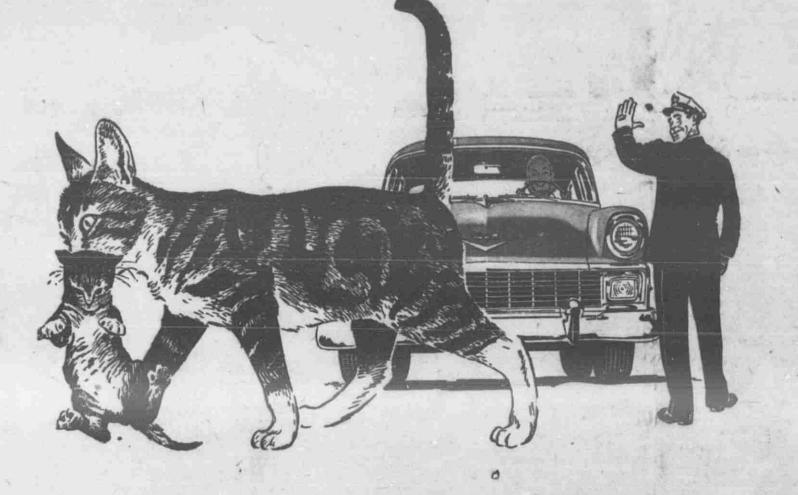
Annual Party

Sunny Acres Farm Bureau will have it's annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Ella Buttrick, on Buttrick av., tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. Small gifts will h exchanged. The group which in cludes some members of the former Cascade Farm Bureau, now disbanded, has about forty mem-

ADVERTISE where most p ple look. In the Ledger Want Ada







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JOHN BLEINBERSEI NAMED CHURCH ELDER

At the congregational meeting en's Marine Corps, was to arrive last week, Cascade Christian Re- Monday from Norfolk, Va., Naval ormed church elected John Klein- base, where she is stationed, to heksel as elder, and Jacob Postema spent Christmas leave with her parand Harvey Vander Bee as deacons ents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Turner,

tema, of refreshments.

Losers Must Flost

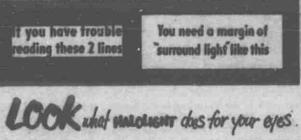
ners a Christmas party, at the next

toward the group's current project, a tile floor for the church kitchen

> ANCCIIIIU at Christmas We sincerely wish that you will share in all the pleasures of the Yuletide season. **Bernie Bedell**



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Lowell Happenings MISS M. AGNES PERRY-PHONE 5170

Shamrock Rest Home. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Borgerson ma at the Congregational church spent the week end with his mother Mrs. John Borgerson and daughters Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Gates of

in Detroit. two sons of Battle Creek were Sun- Rogers, and he returned home with day visitors at the home of Mr. them to spend the winter months. and Mrs. Ray Alexander. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boerma left for Kalamazoo Saturday were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. spend the winter months with he Frank Carpenter in Grand Rapids son W. H. Ingersoll.

on Mrs. Ralph Boerma at Osteo- spent the week end with relatives pathic hospital and Mrs. Ruth Cle- and friends in Lowell. ment at Blodgett. Mrs. Glendon Bovee entertained with his parents Mr. and Mrs

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Closson and Frank Keiser. Lyle Zovee at a dinner, the occa- Mrs. Frank Keiser. sion being the birthday of Mrs. George Layer, High st., was Glendon Bovee.

Mr. and Mrs. Valda Chaterdon noon Sunday, and was rushed by were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Roth Ambulance to Grand Rapids and Mrs. Louis Wride at Home Osteopathic hospital, where he was

daughters of Sparta visited Mr. and Sgt. and Mrs. Duane Raymor of

Gordon Weaver, son-in-law of Sunday evening to spend the holi-Mr. and Mrs. George Goul passed days with their parents, Mr. and away Saturday, Dec. 17, at the Mrs. Ellsworth Raymor. Veterans Hospital in Tucson, Mr. Sgt. and Mrs. Duane Raymor and Mrs. Goul arrived in Tucson visited their grandfather, Mac Raya few days before his passing. | mor Monday evening at the Wyn-Mrs. Christine Davenport of Al- tjes Rest Home.

enport and wife.

Robert DeVinney and baby of South Monday afternoon at the home of Haven were Sunday guests of the the former. Rev. and Mrs. J. M. DeVinney. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Curtis have South Boston were Sunday dinner street which was recently vacated guests of Mr. and Mrs. John by Mr. and Mrs. Orloe Gwatkin.

Fahrni. James and Marcia went to White- sonage Tuesday evening. After a hall Sunday to help celebrate the devotional service, the ladies wrapsecond birthday of Mr. and Mrs. ped gifts for the Sunday School. Fonger's grandson, Hoyt Fonger. Each member brought to the meet-Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gaunt and Mission in Grand Rapids.

day callers at the W. A. Collins, baby Karen arrived in Lowell Tues-

her daughter, Mrs. Nott at Rodney mother, Mrs. Earl Starbard and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell of ing future plans.

Lansing were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kloosterman. D.A.R. Christmas meeting Friday Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kropf and at the home of Mrs. Chas. Curdy sons were Sunday dinner guests of in Greenville. her brother, Lloyd Dygert and wife Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith

in Grand Rapids. Miss Lettie Kinyon returned Sun- the Christmas holidays with he day from Blodgett Hospital where parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Richshe had been for treatment during mond and sister, Mrs. Dick Curtis land husband. the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stinson Sr., Mrs. Robert Bishop of Grand returned Monday from visiting his Rapids is ill with virus pneumonia sister, Mrs. Bertha Purdy in Grand at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kyser. Ernest Dorin has entered the Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thurtell of Ionia attended the Christmas dra-

Detroit, spent the week end in Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and Lowell with her father, Charlie

Mrs. Mary Ingersol of Center st. and in the afternoon they all called Mrs. Alice Dennie of Hastings

Mr. and Mrs. Don Keiser and On Wednesday evening Mr. and Kim of E. Lansing spent Saturday

children, Mr. and Mrs. Vercel Bo- Mrs. Alice Dennie of Hasting vee and Jimmie and Mr. and Mrs. was a Sunday guest of Mr. and

stricken with a heart attack about resting comfortably according Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bachre and authorities there Monday afternoon. Mrs. James Collins Sunday. Lillington, North Carolina, came

pine is visiting her son, Philip Dav- Mrs. George Graham and Mrs. Fred Kenyon entertained their Sun-Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stutesman day Cchool classes, seventeen in of Three Rivers and Mr. and Mrs. number, with a Christmas party on

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tallant of moved into the house on Amity

The Ladies Missionary Society o Mr. and Mrs. George Fonger, the Baptist church met at the par-Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gaunt and ing a gift for the Haven of Rest

Karen Ann of Grandville were Sun- Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lasby and day morning from Tucson, Ariz. Mr. and Mrs. George Hale visited Allen has completed his four years his mother, Mrs. A. L. Hale, and in the service. They will visit his her parents in Belding before mak-

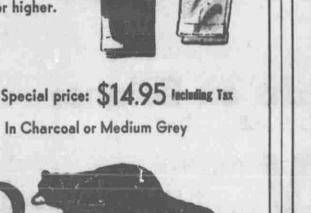
Willmar, Minn., will be spending

We hope that Santa's

good to you ... and brings the things you want him to. * lappy Holiday! Last Minute Idea A new shipment of genuine ... Hockanum Flannel Slacks Tailored by Gulf Stream These are an unusually fine flannel, with a harder finish than most. 100% wool. These would normally be sold at \$16.50 or higher.

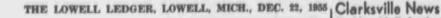


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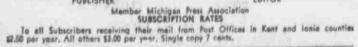








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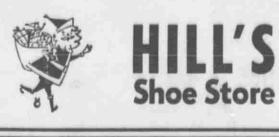




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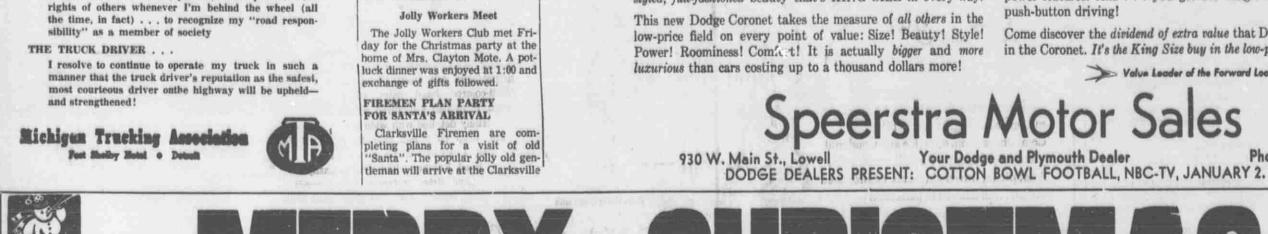
PLEDGE FOR 1956! MOM AND DAD .

We resolve to try to help make 1956 a record year for driving safety . . . to set an example for our children-both as drivers and pedestrians - so that they may ever be safety-minded!

THE KIDDIES .

We resolve to remember that grown-ups are trying to protect us from traffic accidents when they warn us about what to do and what not to do . . . to mind our elders! THE MOTORIST .

I resolve to be courteous, patient, and respectful of the the time, in fact) . . . to recognize my "road responsibility" as a member of society



CHRISTMAS Motorola TV & Radio New Television \$14995 **Radios and Record Players** \$19.95 10% Down...No Payments 'til February...up to 18 months on Balance 632 Lafayette, Lowell WILLIAMS Radio & TV

By Mrs. M. P. Lenhard **Two Clarksville Youths** Win Sales Contests

Two Clarksville youths were recent winners of class contests in a sales event in their respective

Darrel Ovenshire, son of Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Ovenshire, and a in Grand Rapids Sunday to visit family. member of the Lake Odessa High Alvin's sister, Mrs. Carrie Leather-| Don't forget school sophomore class, won a \$60 vrist watch for the number sales made in the contest. LeRoy Bechtel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orley Bechtel, and a sopho-

more of Saranac High school, won the contest held in that school. Le-Roy was also awarded a \$60 wrist watch for his record sales. Engagement Announced

Day-Ackerson

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Day of Lebannan, New Hampshire, announce the engagement and approaching narriage of their daughter, Gloria, Maynard R. Ackerson, Aviation Machinist 2nd Class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Ackerson, of Clarksville. The couple plan an early winr wedding when Mr. Ackerson is ischarged from the Naval Air

Miss Day is a graduate of Lebannan High School and is employed at H. M. Carter & Sons in Lebannan. Maynard has completed nearly four years in the Naval Air Force, having served with the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean on the Uss Lake Champlain. He graduated with the class of 1951 from Saranac

Coming Events

Members of the Clarksville Lions Club are planning a Christmas dinner to be held at the Clarksville Masonic Temple Wednesday evening. The event is ladies night and the serving will start promptly at

The Christmas program of the Clarksville Wesleyan Methodist Church will be held Friday evening, Dec. 23, at 8:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Protest Station Closing

Carlton H. Runciman, owner of e Clarksville Elevator, Don Dickson, traffic manager, and Orley Bechtel, manager, attended a hearing in regard to the closing of the Clarksville Railroad station as an agency station in Ionia County Court House at Ionia.

22nd at 8:00 p.m. Everyone is in- mumps after being quite ill. vited to be present for Clarksville visit.

South Lowell

Mrs. Elizabeth Wissman

ous lunch. Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wells were Mr. and Mrs.

Place and Kilgus.

Fire Hall Thursday evening, Dec. man. Jerry is recovering from the Christmas program Wednesday for the shut-ins Tuesday and deevening at the school. Santa's The Farm Bureau Chrismas par- Mrs. David Sterzick spent last Lowell Circle. ty was well attended Tuesday eve- week-end with her son and family, If there is anyone that would like University, has developed an ear by Mrs. M. P. Lenhard ning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. F. Headrick in Ionia. to take over writing the South Low- plug made of wax-filled soft plastic Alvin Wells, about 50 attending, en-joyed their presents and a delici-are ill with the flu at this writing. ell news, please call Mrs. H. Wiss-man, any evening, Lowell 5219, which conforms to the ear shape, according to his report in the

Helen Wittenbach, Myrtle Klahn



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livered most of them for the South Dr. J.

City the smallest. School and Bertha Rittenger packed boxes Patronize Ledger Advertisers

Zwislocki, of Harvard Journal of the Acoustical Society

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Har-Place and vey Stark and family of Grand Denver is our highest state Capi-of America of tests on 45 subjects. son Steven were Sunday callers of Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Will tol; Boston the largest, Carson The users found these plugs so comfortable they could sleep pormally. The product is not yet on the market.

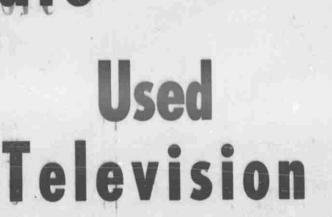
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Mrs. L. T. Anderson

hospital and Friday she is there We are sorry to hear Mrs. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder enter

and little daughters spent Sun-day evening with her sister, Miss Laura Stacklewicz in Grand Rapids, Their parents, who are visiting in Arizona are to fly home Dec. 29. James Sheehan of Cap Meade, Identication of Cap Meade, Identication

Parneil. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boerman Mr. and Mrs. Claire Anderson and family of Delton were Sun-

day evening with her sister, his high school duties at Cale- with her father and brother.

Caledonia Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Myckoviak and family of Grand Rpaids were Patronize Ledger Advertisers unday dinner guests of Mr. and

Foreman Road

Mrs. Edna Taylor

. Myckoviak and Mr. and Mrs. Oral Woodwick of Grand Raplids were Sunday p. m. callers. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Kensey

called to see the latter's mother, Mrs. Louis Klein at St. Mary's of her brother, Keith and family. A Merry Christmas to all. Gene Hemingsen of Grand Rapids of Sidney spent Sunday even with Mr. and Mrs. S. V.Taylor. of Sidney spent Sunday evening hospital and Friday she is there for observation and treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hillen and little daughters spent Sun-hick block school duties at Cala

Ao are time Dec. 29. James Sheehan of Cap Meade, Md., is spending his furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Sheehan and other rela-tives. The Troy and Anderson while her arents were in Grand Rapids. The Christmas party of the forme of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder attend-ind a Christmas party at the home of a Christmas party at the home. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder attend-to a good turnout. Next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richa

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adore Him...the Christ

Child ... who brought

into this world a new

spirit of Peace on

Earth, Good Will

toward Men...a spirit

that shines brightly

in our hearts today.

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rectings

May the joys of the Holiday Season urround you and your family and linger long in your home and in your heart, to brighten the days that lie ahead. A Merry Christmas to everyone.

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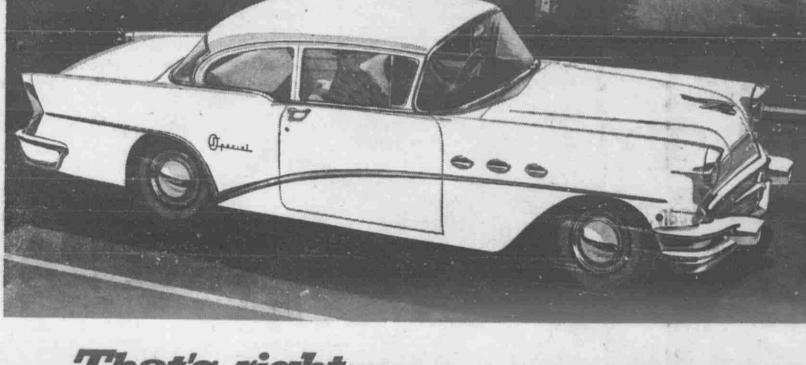














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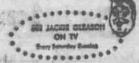
that brings you brilliant new getaway response and bigger gas mileage in your normal driving range – plus sizzling new full-power safety-surge when you floor the pedal and switch the pitch.

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Henry Kuester Home Destroyed by Fire



Sunday at the home of Tom's uncle, home. The Jay Dintamans are THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., DEC.

THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., DEC. 22, 1965 | son, Munroe, Battistella, Fonger, 6. , was willing to continue as Health | The clerk reported deposits as | Village Treasurer-Lowell

ng December 5, 1955.

December 4 was read and placed mission to allow lights to be strung cept \$128.80 (property, sewers, per-on file. ver Main Street, thru the Holi-sonal). Yeas, McKay, Tornga, Johnson, Boston Township Treas. Munroe, Fonger, Battistella, 6. Light & Power-Petty Cash

Present: Councilmen Munroe, Fon-ger, Battistella, McKay, Tornga, McKay, Tornga, Control and Control a Battistella, McKay, Tornga, mson; Village Superintendent was to call immediately and de-It was moved by Councilman Nays, O. Carried.

ed no ground for any confusion in Young matter still not consum- igan Angus Breeders' Association, ng of the ballot, explain- mated due to reluctance of Mr. copy of which clerk was instructed o expressly strengthen the fact with the right to excavate on 204-t. to Council, dated October 11, 1955, tors, Jack Fonger, Orval McKay, Lowell Muncipal Util. showing an amount of only \$154.00 MD.

over Main Street, thru the Holi- sonal). on file. [over Main Street, thru the Holi-Mr. Dave Clark inquired of Coun-days. Yeas, McKay Tornga, John-] Dr. Hill explained to Council he Nays, O. Carried.

Nays, O: Carried. President W. A. Roth, at 8:10 p.m. that he had contacted Williams & the West Side of town, compared Band Fund.

Moore; Village Attorney Shivel. The minutes of the previous reg-ular session of November 21 were read and approved. Petitions and Communications An open letter to the Village er signed by three electors of the Willage and suggesting resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-er signed by three electors of the Village and suggesting resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-er signed by three electors of the Village and suggesting resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-er signed by three electors of the Village and suggesting resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting diverted in the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting diverted by three electors tation with Councy Engineer. The was moved by Council and the Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting and suggesting diverted in the Councy Engineer. The was moved by Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting and suggesting diverted in the Councy Engineer. The was moved by Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting and suggesting diverted in the Councy Engineer. The was moved by Council and to the Lowell Ledg-resting and suggesting diverted in the Councy Engineer. The was moved by Council and the Councy Engineer. The present tanker, due to its an-tation with Councy Engineer. The present tanker would The present tanker wo

"Yes" or "No" on the question of cilmen Battistella and McKay. delinquent tax returned to the It was moved by Councilman The Lowell Ledger the issuance of the revenue bonds It was moved by Councilman Fon- County from the Village of Lowell. Tornga and seconded by Council- I. M. Rood & Company and not general obligation bonds. ger and seconded by Councilman (This amount since has been re- man Johnson that \$3000.00 be trans- Runciman Motor Sales Chief of Police Stephens' report Tornga, that Council request the duced to \$112.00) The Village Trea- ferred from the Motor Vehicle Clark Plumbing & Heat. for the period from November 4 to State Highway Department for per- surer reports all taxes collected ex- Fund to the Street Fund.

Officer but did not consider it his follows Lowell Council Proceedings Mr. Moore reported the cause of the electric failure on the West side of Lowell on Sunday morning to be the burning out of an oil circuit. It was moved by Councilman Munroe and supported by Councilman Munroe and supported by Councilman Munroe and supported by Council Marcavet McMaho Water had seeped into the cables, Munroe and supported by Council- Margaret McMahon Regular Session, Monday Even- cil what action was being taken on will need vacuuming. Mr. Moore man Johnson that Council approve W. Mich. Angus Ass'n. the sewer system adjacent to his emphasized the tremendous in- payment of \$500.00 (from Taxes) to Council was called to order by property. Mr. Moore informed him crease of electricity being used on the Lowell Public School for the

Munroe, Fonger, Battistella, 6.

Yeas, McKay, Tornga, Johnson, tiquity, that a new tanker would

Village Street Fund An Election Board, for the Dec. Federal Reserve Bank ing that the last clause "and not Young to sign proposed contract. to send to Board of Education, 15th election, was named as fol- Mich. Bell Telephone lows: Chairman, W. A. Roth; Lowell Municipal Util as a general debt or obligation of It was the concensus of opinion Lowell. the Village of Lowell' was included he should be offered an easement County Treasurer's report read Clerk, Laura E. Shepard; inspec-O. E. Bieri & Sons

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Light & Power 11.00 Light & Power Payroll 288.10 The Lowell Ledger 100.00 Mich Dept. of Revenue 50.00 Elliott Addressing Mach. Daros American Corp. \$474.30 Township of Keene Street Fund Howard J. Rittenger Treasurer of the U.S.

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6.08 Clark Plumbing & Heating 17.75 22.63 Gee's Hardward

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Ada Locals

Wishing a very Merry Holiday ban Life and all the readers. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fase Jr. | ter and family in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. son and Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Rooker of Cutlerville spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and

tended Christmas Carol concert

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris entertained members of her family for a pre-Christmas dinner party last Sunday. Those presnt were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nellist of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nellist and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nellist.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitch paid a Christmas visit to his aunt, Mrs. Leona Gulliford at the Michigan Veterans Facility last unday afternoon.

Mrs. Joseph Gillard and daugh, ter Joelle and Mrs. Orison Weaver attended the Ballet Russe De Monte Carlo concert at the Civic auditorium Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Courtright and children of Grand Rapids spent the day with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Courtight last Friday.

Edward Cramton arrived home from Nashville, Tenn., Monday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merle

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nellist were Saturday night guests of, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shimmel of

Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson and Maryann of Cascade, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Averill of Grand tapids were Friday night dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Averill

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith and amily of Holt spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brian and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward

were Friday night dinner guests of his mother, Mrs. Alice Ward in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Anderson

afternoon callers of Mr. and Season to the Ledger and Subur. Mrs. Roland Depew in Alto, also who are in the Navy, stationed derStolp in Grand Rapi

Roger and Gordon Stukkie,

derson and Daryl were Sunday | THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., DEC. 22, 195

called on Mr. and Mrs. John Pot- at Norfolk, Va., are home for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson and the Christmas holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Duthler Friday callers at the Herman mother, Mrs. Hymie of Fenville ruests of their son Bruce and and Gordon Stukkle visited their Stukkle home were Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Maud Wilson of Gran brother Pete Stukkie and family Wm. DeGraaf and Saturday call. Rapids spent several days with forris at Mt. Morris last Sunday. Mrs. ers were Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit her

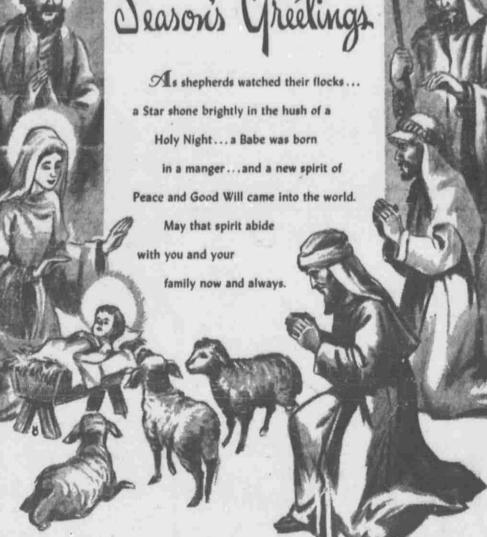
> N. McCords-E. Cascade Mrs. Effie Cox

Mr, and Mrs. J. Cox and Fred T.V. keeps kids at home, when were Sunday night dinner guests the curfew failed.

son were Sunday guests of he

helicopter carrying 19 passer gers, cruising at 100 miles an hour and having a range of more that

at the home of Mrs. Cora Van-



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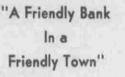
As the Holiday Season and a New Year approaches and we are about to close our books for another year, we recall with gratitude the real friendliness and consideration that all of our customers have shown us during the past year.

We hope we shall have the privilege of serving all of you, for many years to come.

In the meantime, a Joyful Holiday to you and may all the good fortune be yours in the New Year.

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